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SIR:

In response to the Notice of Final Determination and Requirement for Election mailed on December 10, 2007, in the Application for Patent Term Extension of U.S. Patent No. 6,265,536, based on NDA 21-754, Applicants respectfully elect the Application for Patent Term Extension for U.S. Patent No. 6,107,458 based on NDA 21-506.

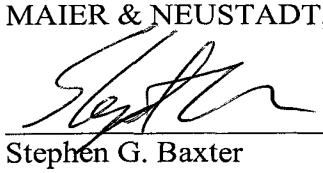
Accordingly, Applicants respectfully withdraw the Application for Patent Term Extension of U.S. Patent No. 6,265,536, based on NDA 21-754.

The term for U.S. Patent No. 6,107,458 should be extended to March 16, 2019, based on the regulatory review period for NDA 21-506. No patent should be extended based on the regulatory review period for NDA 21-754.

Should the Examiner have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Applicants' undersigned representative.

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